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SUBJ: DEATH OF ARTHUR I. KESSLER

FOR EDITH OR ARTHUR KESSLER
221 EAST 78 ST.
NEW YORK, NY 10021
TEL. 734-7689

1. IT IS WITH PROFUND REGRET THAT I MUST INFORM YOU OF THE DEATH OF YOUR HUSBAND/FATHER ARTHUR I. KESSLER. CRIMINAL POLICE OF ZURICH, SWITZERLAND INFORMED THE AMERICAN CONSULATE GENERAL OF ZURICH ON MAY 31, 1977, OF THE DEATH, CAUSE ACUTE HEART-FAILURE, ON MAY 29, 1977 AT ZURICH.
 2. YOUR HUSBAND/FATHER HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED BY PPT. NO. F373728 ISSUED ON MARCH 4, 1975 AT NEW YORK, BORN ON DEC. 12, 1900 AT POLAND.
 3. THE CONSULATE GENERAL WILL TAKE CHARGE OF HIS PERSONAL EFFECTS AND WILL WRITE TO YOU CONCERNING THEIR DISPOSITION.
 4. REGRETFULLY, I MUST DRAW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE NEED TO MAKE URGENT ARRANGEMENTS. LOCAL LAW REQUIRES LOCAL BURIAL OR THAT PROMPT ARRANGEMENTS BE MADE FOR SHIPMENT. WE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW AS SOON AS POSSIBLE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WISH TO HAVE YOUR HUSBAND/FATHER'S REMAINS RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES. IF SO, PREPARATION
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AND AIR SHIPMENT TOF REMAINS TO NEW YORK WOULD COST DOLLARS 2800-3000. CREMATION AND SHIPMENT OF REMAINS TO U.S. WOULD COST DOLLARS 500. IF LOCAL BURIAL IS DESIRED, THE COST IS DOLLARS 750, THE COST OF CREMATION AND LOCAL BURIAL IS DOLLARS 700. ALL OF THESE COSTS ARE APPROXIMATE.

5. AFTER YOU HAVE MADE YOUR DECISION, PLEASE TAKE THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS: TELEGRAPH INSTRUCTION PROMPTLY

AND DIRECTLY TO AMERICAN CONSULATE GENERAL, ZURICH,
SWITZERLAND AND INCLUDE THE NAME OF DECEASED IN YOUR MESSAGE.
STATE WHETHER REQUIRED FUNDS ARE BEING TELE-
GRAPHED AND BY WHAT MEANS. INCLUDE NAME AND ADDRESS OF
U.S. FUNERAL HOME YOU SELECT IF SHIPMENT DESIRED.
TELEGRAPH REQUIRED FUNDS SEPARATELY AND PROMPTLY THROUGH
UNION BANK OF SWITZERLAND OR AMERICAN EXPRESS AT ZURICH,
PAYABLE TO AMERICAN CONSULATE GENERAL, ZURICH, SWITZERLAND.
IF YOU ARE HAVING REMAINS SHIPPED TO THE U.S. YOU MAY
WISH TO HAVE THE U.S. FUNERAL HOME YOU SELECT MAKE THESE
ARRANGEMENTS FOR YOU.
6. UPON RECEIPT OF THE REQUIRED FUNDS YOUR INSTRUCTIONS
WILL BE CARRIED OUT AS PROMPTLY AS CIRCUMSTANCES PERMIT.
WE ESTIMATE APPROXIMATELY 3-5 DAYS WILL BE REQUIRED
FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF FUNDS TO CARRY OUT YOUR INSTRUCTIONS
IF REMAINS ARE TO BE SHIPPED. UPON COMPLETION OF ALL

FORMALITIES, A FOREIGN SERVICE REPORT OF DEATH PREPARED
BY THIS OFFICE WILL BE FORWARDED TO YOU.

7. LOCAL AUTHORITIES REQUIRE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION
IN CONNECTION WITH PREPARATION OF DEATH CERTIFICATE:
BIRTH CERTIFICATE, MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE, RELIGION
FULL NAME OF PARENTS, PROFESSION.

8. IF NECESSARY, YOU MAY CONTACT THE CONSULAR SECTION
OF THIS POST BY PHONING: 55 25 66 IN ZURICH.

BE ASSURED OF MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY IN YOUR BEREAVMENT.

AMERICAN CONSULATE GENERAL,
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